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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated September 25, 2007, finally rejecting claims 23-44, Applicant submits the following Amendments and Remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.